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MEMORANDUM FOR: Project Comptroller
Project Personnel Officer
Project Security Officer

SUBJECT : Income Tax Consultant

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25X1A6b 1. [REDACTED], Office of General Counsel, today advised me that it appears that OGC will send [REDACTED] also from Mr. Houston's office, to Europe shortly after the first of the year on tax problems for [REDACTED] CIA.

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25X1A9a 2. [REDACTED] also mentioned that tax problems in the Far East were scheduled to be handled by [REDACTED], OGC representative in the office of [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] suggested then that if we had requirements for tax advice for pilot personnel, we might wish to clear both of the above individuals so that they could handle this requirement.

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25X1A9a 3. Before doing this, however, I would like to have a clear assertion from [REDACTED] that such a move is desirable and necessary. In the light of the entire fragmentary performance in this role turned in by [REDACTED] during his trip to Europe last January, it is my belief that we should avoid this expenditure if at all possible. On the other hand, I do not wish to be accused later of not having provided the means for giving proper income tax advice to pilots or contractor personnel for that matter, although I believe our obligation to the latter group is negligible.

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25X1A9a 4. I am under the impression that [REDACTED] has the pilot tax situation fairly well in hand at this point. As a matter of fact, I much prefer to have [REDACTED] perform this service if at all possible either in Headquarters or on a trip overseas. I would also prefer that we utilize [REDACTED] in this capacity for pilot personnel at Edwards Air Force Base rather than having to clear some one specifically for such a small group of clients.

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